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Hon. Deborah Taylor Tate, Chairman Tennessee Regulatory Authority 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, Tennessee 37243 TH REGULATORY AUTHORITY

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Re

Petition for Interconnection by Cinergy Communications Company Against BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc Docket No. 01-00987

Dear Chairman Tate:

Cinergy Communications Company ("Cinergy") respectfully requests that the deadline for Cinergy to file a reply in this docket be extended from June 18, 2004 to Wednesday, June 23, 2004.

BellSouth has been notified of Cinergy's request and has raised no objections, again, provided that the scope of the reply does not exceed the scope of BellSouth's response.

Very truly yours,

BOULT, CUMMINGS, CONNERS & BERRY, PLC

By Henry Walker KG

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cc: Joelle Phillips, Esq.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on June 17, 2004, a copy of the foregoing document was served electronically to the following:

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